APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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The applicant MOUNT HOPE MINES, INC., hereby makes application for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter			

stated.

- 1. The source of the proposed appropriation is underground.
- 2. The amount of water applied for is 3.0 second-feet
 - (a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet
- 3. The water to be used for mining, milling and domestic
- 4. If use is for:
 - (a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated
 - (b) Stockwater, state number and kinds of animals to be watered
 - (c) Other use (describe fully under No. 12. "Remarks")

R.52E., R.53E. M.D.M.

- (1) Horsepower developed
- (2) Point of return of water to stream
- 5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point within the SE% SE% of Section 26, T.22N., R.50E., M.D.M. or at a point from which the NE corner of Section 31 of T.22N., R.51E., bears South 88°07'00" East a distance of 11,420.0 feet.
- 6. Place of Use All sections, some of which are unsurveyed, in the following: T.21N., R.50E., R.51E., R.52E., R.53E., T.21/N., R.51/E., R.52E., R53E., T.22N., R.50E., R.51E., R.51½E., R.52E., T.23N., R.50E., R.51E., R.52E., R.53E., T.23½N., R.50E., T.24N., R.50E., R.51E.,
- 7. Use will begin about January 1 and end about December 31, of each year.
- 8. Description of proposed works well, pump and distribution system to mining, milling and domestic use sites.
- 9. Estimated cost of works \$200,000
- 10. Estimated time required to construct works 3 years
- 11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use **10 years**
- 12. Remarks: Use map on file under cancelled Permits 44431 and 44436.

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DENIAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby governt the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

deny

This application is hereby denied on the grounds that the applicant has failed to submit the data and information requested by the State Engineer's office and that without this information the granting of the application would be detrimental to the public interest.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E. State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this

9th day of January

, A.D. 1998.

State Engineer